

SENATE RESOLUTION No. ____

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED RESOLUTION

A SENATE RESOLUTION memorializing the life of
Margree Ann Oakley of Indianapolis, Indiana.

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SENATE RESOLUTION

MADAM PRESIDENT:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

1 A SENATE RESOLUTION memorializing the life of
2 Margree Ann Oakley of Indianapolis, Indiana.

3 *Whereas, Margree Oakley, also known as "Margie", was*
4 *born on February 7, 1948 and passed away on January 10,*
5 *2015 at the age of 66;*

6 *Whereas, Margie Oakley was one of fourteen children, and*
7 *the daughter of Dorothy Gage Oakley and George P. Oakley;*

8 *Whereas, Margie Oakley was a devoted mother to her five*
9 *children: Karl, Marcus, Dorothy, Karol, and Deetra; loving*
10 *grandmother to her nine grandchildren: Kevin, Darron,*
11 *Damon, Richard, Kendal, and Wilmer, Geianna, Donneisha,*
12 *Chantal, and doting great-grandmother to fifteen*
13 *great-grandchildren;*

14 *Whereas, Margree Ann Oakley confessed her faith in Christ*
15 *at a very young age and was an active member of Little Bethel*
16 *Baptist Church for over thirty years and was a member of*
17 *different ministries, including the Women's Matrons Ministry;*

18 *Whereas, Margie Oakley graduated from Arsenal Technical*
19 *High School in 1965 and continued her education for two years*
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1 *at Indiana Business College;*

2 *Whereas, Margree Ann Oakley showed her diligence as a*
3 *community and civic leader through the numerous community*
4 *leadership positions she held. Such roles include former*
5 *secretary of the Concerned Clergy, member of the Board of*
6 *Trustees for Citizens Health Center, Education Advocate,*
7 *Committee Member for Operation Big Vote, and Former Center*
8 *Township Precinct Committee Person;*

9 *Whereas, Margie Oakley worked on political campaigns*
10 *for many candidates and was involved in various other*
11 *community and civic organizations; and*

12 *Whereas, Margree Oakley's passing leaves a hole in the*
13 *hearts of her family and community, but her impact shall live*
14 *on for many years to come: Therefore,*

15 *Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly*
16 *of the State of Indiana:*

17 SECTION 1. That the Indiana Senate memorializes the
18 life of Margree Ann Oakley and celebrates her dedication to
19 community service and involvement.

20 SECTION 2. The Secretary of the Senate is hereby
21 directed to transmit a copy of this resolution to her children:
22 Karl (Angela) Brady, Dorthy Brady, Karol (Derrick) Bates,
23 Deetra Smith, and Marcus Oakley; her friend, Charity M.
24 Livingston.

